

To F. Garrison.

Leicester,
Aug. 5/74.

Dear Frank;

[Willard] Thank you for letting me see Mr. Fiske's letter, - which I return. I am very glad to see his continued (personal as well as official) interest in the A. S. Collection at Cornell. I want very much to have him get out that Catal. he speaks of; but regret to find it must be done at his cost. Will you tell him a friend will contribute \$5. to it? and I will send you the money for it, i.e. if you have no objection to speaking of it. I don't know that I need hesitate to name it myself to him? If the cost should be considerable, I would give more.

My nephew, Geo. P. May, is coming up here on Sat. p.m. next. If you can conveniently send the package of Mr. Fiske's "Titles" to No. 16 Oliver St., addressed to me at Leicester, & in care of above, by Sat. morn., I shall get it by him. He will not leave, probably, before 2 p.m. - His contributions to the Cornell Collection will have an illustrative value. - I hope wth Father & Mother

are to get speedy relief.

In great haste, Yrs. truly
S. May.

The portrait of S. J. M., which Mr. Fiske speaks of, is well worth thinking of. It should be done, I think. That is another topic on which I would like to write to Mr. Fiske. Is there any objection in your mind, to my saying to him that you sent me his letter to you?